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Applicants have received an official Filing Receipt in the above-identified application in which the residences for the three inventors are listed incorrectly. The Filing Receipt lists the prefecture ("ken") instead of the city ("shi").

The residence for the first-named inventor should read:

--Yokohama-shi, JAPAN--.

The residence for the second-named inventor should read:

--Numazu-shi, JAPAN--.

The residence for the third-named inventor should read:

--Yokohama-shi, JAPAN--.

The requested corrections are indicated on the attached marked-up copy of the Filing Receipt. Issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt is accordingly respectfully requested.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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